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December 2014 CNE Committee

The December CNE Committee was called to order December 9, 2014 at 8:45 a.m. in room 560 of the Landon State Office Building in Topeka by Judy Hiner, Chair. Agenda was amended to move the four LTP 5 year renewals under unfinished business to new business. The minutes from the September 2014 meeting were approved as drafted. D. Glynn reported IOA’s were denied for being incomplete, submitted outside of renewal period, and did not meet the definition of CNE. Committee directed Board staff to create an instruction document that the Board can place on the website to assist individuals with the submission of their IOA’s.

The following long term provider applications were approved pending submission of missing documents:
- Prairie View, Inc.
- Kansas Heart Hospital
- Professional Continuing Education
- Midwest Health Continuing Nursing Education

The following long term provider applications were approved as submitted:
- Area Health Education Center-West

Long Term Providers not submitting annual reports will be sent a letter by Miriah. They will be told that their provider status is considered relinquished by inaction on their part. Copies of letter to be placed in their files and spreadsheets adjusted accordingly to reflect their status.

KSBN will not be giving credit for BLS (Basic Life Support) as the committee re-reviewed regulation 60-9-106(e)(2) BLS is basic prep at the level of current licensure. ANCC also gives credit for in-services and KSBN does not, as it is basic and not designed to meet the Kansas definition of CNE.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:26 a.m.

December 2014 APRN Committee

The APRN Committee met December 9, 2014 and was called to order by Carol Bradgon, PhD, APRN, Chair at 1:30 pm in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building. The minutes from September 16, 2014 were approved.

It was moved to approve the following out of state schools and their courses:
- California State University – Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
- Concordia University – Wisconsin – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Cox College – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Goldfarb – Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Georgia University – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Midwestern State University – Family Nurse Practitioner
- Northern Kentucky University – Pediatric Nurse Practitioner
- University of North Carolina – Greensboro, Wake Forest Baptist Health – RNA
- University of Texas At Arlington – Adult Nurse Practitioner
- University of Wisconsin – Madison – Adult Nurse Practitioner

Carol Bradgon mentioned the ANCC will retire the exam for the Pediatric Clinical Nurse Specialist certification. Marilyn Douglass discussed the proposed amendment to HB 326 language.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:04 pm.
The December Finance Committee was called to order December 10, 2014 at 8:32 a.m. in room 560 of the Landon State Office Building in Topeka by Bernard Becker, Chair. M. Blubaugh introduced Jennifer Ouellette the agencies new budget analyst. The minutes of the September 17, 2014 Finance Committee were approved as written.

KSBN had only one KORA request for this quarter which means there was not enough information to analyze the fees. The staff will continue to collect the information and bring back in March if there are more requests.

M. Blubaugh reported that the fee fund balance will go down due to the reduction of fees. The preliminary budget was approved for FY16 and FY17. There is a 4% budget reduction for the last months of FY15 for the state general fund agencies, but the fee fund agencies did not have a reduction.

A. Guerrero reported that he may need onsite vendor assistance with the upgrade and migration to our licensure system. It was moved to authorize expenditures up to $15,000 for vendor support for the upgrade and migration of license application.

The meeting adjourned at 8:51 A.M.

The Practice Committee met on March 24. The Joint Pain Management Guideline meeting has been postponed indefinitely. Attempts to reschedule are still being made. A new resource diagram created by KNEP was reviewed. It illustrates the relationships between practice, education and associations for nursing in Kansas. It will be recommended to the Board to adopt the diagram and place a link on the KSBN web page. A uniform roster sample was reviewed and it was recommended to make it available to all IV therapy providers. It will help standardize the information reported by providers.

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December 2014 Education Committee

The Education Committee met December 9, 2014 and was called to order by Brenda Moffitt, APRN, CNS-BC, Chair at 8:30 a.m. in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building. The minutes of the September 16, 2014 were approved. Mary Blubaugh presented Carol Moreland’s Education Specialist report.

The site visit report from Bethel College BSN Program was reviewed. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Bethel College BSN Program with recommendations and to approve the program for a period of time consistent with CCNE accreditation.

Hesston College presented an application for approval of a BSN Program. It was moved to approve the request from Hesston College to offer a BSN Program with a site visit to occur before approval is given to admit students.

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Investigative Committee

The Investigative Committee met on Monday and Tuesday March 23 and 24. Costs of actions information was presented and discussed. It was recommended to the Board that costs of action assessed in discipline matters be increased from $70.00 to $100.00. The last increase in costs was in approximately 1997. Review and discussion of the LMHT act continues. The 5 year legislative review process continues. At this meeting KSA 65-1121a and KAR10-3-101 were reviewed. No needed changes were identified.

Eight petitions for permission to test/retest were reviewed and action taken. The meeting was adjourned at 10:57 am.

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Unlicensed Practice

The following individuals were fined for unlicensed practice for practicing without a license, had a second or subsequent unlicensed practice.

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False/Inaccurate Information

The following individuals were fined for providing false/inaccurate information in the KSBN renewal licensing process a second or subsequent time and were fined $200.00.

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License #23-33521-021
Case #13-2066-3
License Revoked 2/11/2015

Mary Bara
Topeka, KS 66605
License #23-36338-082
Case #14-1360-8
License Revoked 3/23/2015

Teresa Berry
Wichita, KS 67216
License #13-78166-011
Case #12-2192-5
License Revoked 3/24/2015

Denied 2/2/2015
Reinstatement application
Case #14-2203-9
Atchison, KS 66002
Brandy Cummins
License Revoked 2/11/2015
Case #13-2234-2
License Revoked 2/11/2015

Michelle Brown
Colby, KS 67701
License #23-33990-082
Case #13-1613-5
Reinstatement application
Denied 1/14/15

Michelle Maina
Carl Junction, MO 64834
License Applicant
Case #14-1480-0
Endorsement application
Denied 2/2/2015

Andrew Fountain
Hill City, KS 67642
License #13-124423-072
Case #14-403-2
License Revoked 3/24/2015

Kerry Holton
Wichita, KS 67212
License Applicant
Case #13-114113-082
Case #12-1175-5
License Suspended w/ Stay
2/9/2015

Sarah Maddux
Wichita, KS 67203
License #23-31666-091
Case #13-1613-5
Reinstatement application
Denied 1/14/15

Teresa Berry
Wichita, KS 67203
License #15-87761-082
Case #12-1805-6
License Suspended w/ Stay
1/13/2015

Samantha Roubison
Lenexa, KS 66224
License #23-28175-121
Case #12-2576-9
License Revoked 4/1/2015

Jennifer Marrs
Mound City, KS 66056
License #15-110199-082
Case #13-569-0
License Revoked 2/25/2015

Tiffany McKee
Grain Valley, MO 64029
License Applicant
Case #14-2172-0
Endorsement application
Denied 3/16/2015

Teresa Murphy
Abilene, KS 67410
License #23-36855-012
Case #13-1725-9 & 09-345-9
Reinstatement application
Denied 1/21/2015

Traci Owens
Wichita, KS 67203
License #15-87761-082
Case #12-1805-6
License Suspended w/ Stay
1/13/2015

Cynthia Keys
Wichita, KS 67215
License #13-104898-021
Case #10-1896-5
License Revoked 1/14/2015

Fraud or Deceit Violation

Genevieve Easterling
Chalmette, LA 70043
License #24-43717-102
Case #14-1300-0
License Revoked 3/3/2015

Deanna Evans
Meriden, KS 66512
License #23-24149-052
Case #13-1130-8
License Revoked 4/7/2015

Gina Figures
Cherryvale, KS 67355
License #23-28110-011
Case #13-407-6
License Revoked 3/23/2015

Ricky Henry
Topeka, KS 66604
License #14-99688-111
Case #14-1600-0 & 04-888-0
Reinstatement Application
Denied 1/20/2015

Robin Rountree
Kansas City, KS 66106
License #24-35660-062
Case #15-1327-0, 10-816-7,
12-857-0, 12-998-7
License Revoked 3/21/2015

Date of Disciplinary Action
Case #14-1600-0 & 04-888-0
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**Mental Incompetence Violation**

- Betty Howe
- Robertson Machaira
- Patricia Russell

**Unprofessional Conduct Violation**

- Julia Diekemper
- Sicily Preiner
- Mary Chargois

**Endorsement Application Denied**

- Jane Spurgeon
- Michael Taylor

**License Revoked**

- Betty Howe
- Robertson Machaira
- Patricia Russell
- Julia Diekemper
- Sicily Preiner
- Mary Chargois
- Jane Spurgeon

**License Suspended**

- Patricia Russell

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**Reinstatement Application Denied**

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Referrals
Self-referrals to the program are encouraged, but referrals may be made by a family member, a friend, employer or anyone concerned about the nurse/LMHT. Anonymous referrals are not accepted. A person may call for information or advice without giving their name, however. Referrals may be made by calling 913-236-7575.

KNAP Providers
- Confidential services to Kansas RNs, LPNs, and LMHTs experiencing problems and illnesses which could lead to impaired practice.
- Interventions, assessments, referrals for evaluation and treatment (if indicated.)
- On-going monitoring through random urine drug screens, contact with employers and monthly groups.

Causes for Concern
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- Narcotics discrepancies, e.g.: incorrect counts, alteration of narcotic containers, increased patient reports of ineffective pain control, discrepancies on records or frequent corrections of records, unusual amounts of narcotics wasted, significant variations in the quantity of narcotics ordered for technician’s unit or shift.
- Fluctuations in the quality of work performance.
- Irresponsible behavior from someone previously conscientious and responsible.
- Requests to work shifts that are the least supervised.
- Inordinate interest in patients’ pain control medications.

Behavior
- Increasing isolation from colleagues, friends and family and avoiding social activities.
- Complaints from others about work performance or alcohol or drug use.
- Mood swings, irritability or depression, or suicide threats or attempts, perhaps caused by accidental overdose.

Physical Symptoms
- Obvious intoxication such as swaying, staggering or slurred speech.
- Odor of alcohol on breath or the excessive use of breath-fresheners or perfume to disguise the odor of alcohol.

KNAP is supported by funds from the Board of Nursing and, in small part, by fees charged to the participants.

For further information
The Kansas Nurses Assistance Program
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CONTINUING NURSING EDUCATION OFFERINGS

REGION III

September 24, 2015, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Salina, KS
Intermediate Fetal Monitoring: An In-depth Review. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Albridge, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or ext 375. Fac: Crystal Young, RN, MSN. Aud: RN, LPN. This course will be taught following the Association of Women's Health, Obstetrical, Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN) curriculum. The attendees will receive basic fetal monitoring and discuss in detail intermediate fetal monitoring guidelines and practicum education. Fee: $87.00. Reg. by: September 21, 2015. Contact Hours: 8.

REGION VIII

July 18 & 25, 2015, 9:00 am-7:00 pm both days, Baldwin City, KS

REGION IX

September 22, 2015, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Clay Center, KS
Metabolic Syndrome vs Type 2 Diabetes. Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Albridge, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or ext 375. Fac: Emilie Hagen, ARNP-CNS, CDE, CCM. Aud: RN, LPN. Metabolic Syndrome will be defined and how it relates to Type 2 Diabetes. Diabetes is everywhere and seems to be increasing every...
The Art and Science of Aromatherapy.

September 30, 2015, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Abilene, KS

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**Continuing Nursing Education Offerings**

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year. The focus of this workshop is a practical real world approach to assisting individuals with their attempt to fit Diabetes into their lifestyle. Fee: $87.00. Reg. by: September 18, 2015. Contact Hours: 8.

September 30, 2015, 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Abilene, KS

The Art and Science of Aromatherapy.

Sponsor: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, PO Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 372 or ext. 375. Fax: Jan Dyer, LPN, MS Natural Health. Aud: RN, LPN. This class will explain and introduce the use of essential oils in the treatment of acute and chronic illnesses. Participants will learn the safe application of oils and the healing properties of several commonly used oils. Essential oil constituents, the history of essential oil use, and the present day use in the clinical environment will be explored and discussed. Fee: $87.00. Reg. by: September 28, 2015. Contact Hours: 8.

**August 8, 2015, 8:00 am-3:00 pm, Wichita, KS**

**Spanish Today for Medical Professionals.**

Sponsor: Zinta Inspired Language/Spanish Horizons, 1855 S. Rock Road, Suite 129, Wichita, KS 67207. Contact: Terry Smith, 316-932-2061. Aud: RN, LPN, LMHT. Employees who work in the medical field gain the ability to quickly use targeted and practical occupational Spanish phrases and basic Spanish knowledge with interpersonal and cross-cultural training in this fun and interactive 6 hour seminar. Fee: $145.00. Reg. by: NLT 72 hrs before seminar w/o late fee. Contact Hours: 6.8.

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**October 21-22, 2015, 8:00 am-5:00 pm both days, Wichita, KS**

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